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**NOTICE OF APPEAL FROM THE EXAMINER TO THE
BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES**

Attorney Docket No.:
DES00290P00160US

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on January 26, 2007

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Corinne Byk

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In Re Application Of:

Gary Workman

Application Number:

10/712,943

Filed:

November 13, 2003

For:

Unbonded System for Strength Testing of Concrete
Masonry Units

Group Art Unit:

1771

Examiner:

Anish P. Desai

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Commissioner for Patents

P.O. Box 1450

Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

Applicant hereby **appeals** to the Board of Appeals and Interferences from the decision of the Examiner dated September 26, 2006.

The fee for this Notice of Appeal is (37 CFR 41.20(b)(1)).

☐ Large Entity - \$500.00 ☒ Small Entity - \$250.00

\$250.00

☐ Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27. Therefore, the fee shown above is reduced by half, and the resulting fee is:

\$

☒ A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed.

☐ Payment by credit card. Form PTO-2038 is attached.

☐ The Director has already been authorized to charge fees in this application to Deposit Account No. 23-0785. I have enclosed a duplicate copy of this sheet.

☒ The Director is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 23-0785. I have enclosed a duplicate copy of this sheet.

☐ A petition for an extension of time under 37 CFR 1.136(a) (PTO/SB/22) and a check in the amount of \$_____ is enclosed.

I am:

☐ applicant/inventor.

☐ assignee of record of the entire interest. Statement under 37 CFR 3.73(b) is enclosed.

☒ attorney or agent of record

☐ attorney or agent acting under 37 C.F.R. 1.34(a).

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